UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION ATTORNEY DOCKET 86655SHS TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b) Customer No. 01333 To: Commissioner for Patents Express Mail Label No. P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 EV 293 510 769 US Date: MUUNUUL 25, 2003 A METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING **DIAMOND COATINGS** First Named Inventor (or Application Identifier): Liya Regel, et al Enclosed are: X Specification Assignment of the invention to Sheet(s) of drawing(s) Letter Under Rule 53 2. 7. Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR Associate Power of Attorney 3. 8. Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney: 4. New (Unsigned) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d) (for continuation/divisional with Box 11 completed) 4b. Incorporation by Reference (useable if Box 4b is Deletion of Inventor(s). checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying 1.33(b). application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. If a 111A application prior to examination of the above-identified application, amend the specification at Page 1, 10. after the title, by inserting the following: -- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION Reference is made to and priority claimed from U.S. Provisional Application Serial No., filed, entitled. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No:, 12. Please address all written communications to Thomas H. Close, Patent Legal Staff, Eastman Kodak Company, 343 State Street, Rochester, NY 14650-2201. Please Direct all telephone calls to Stephen H. Shaw at 585-477-7419. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below: FOR: NO. FILED NO. EXTRA **RATE FEE BASIC FEE** \$ 770 **TOTAL CLAIMS** 24 -20 =4 x 18 =\$ 72 INDEPENDENT CLAIMS - 3 = 0 x 86 =\$0 MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED +290\$0 **TOTAL** \$ 842 Please charge my Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225 in the amount of \$ 842 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or credit any overpayment to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Man

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LETTER UNDER RULE 53

Pursuant to Rule 53, the above-identified application, enclosed herewith (including specification and claims), is being filed without a signed declaration or assignment in the names of the inventor(s), Liya Regel, Andre D. Cropper. The declaration and assignment will be filed later.

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